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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 3, 2005 (Paper No. 20050528), for which a response was due on July 3, 2005. July 3, 2005 fell on a Sunday and July 4, 2005 fell on a holiday. Accordingly, this response, filed on July 5, 2005, is timely filed.